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From: Thomas, Hattie

**Sent:** Fri 11/15/2013 3:21:39 PM

Subject: FW: West Lake meeting for Elected Officials

Good morning Mr. Engelhardt – Karl asked me to send you a short note regarding your email. I apologize for sending this late.

Please note that EPA Region 7 will attend the next regular West Lake Community Advisory Group meeting on Monday, November 18, 2013. EPA Region 7 has participated in past CAG meetings and will continue to do so in the future.

Let us know if you have specific questions as a result of last night's meeting or any questions pertaining to any resulting press coverage.

Once again, my apologies for the late note. Take care. – HLT

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Sent: Thursday, November 14, 2013 5:14 PM

To: Brooks, Karl

Subject: FW: West Lake meeting for Elected Officials

Hello Karl:
Wanted to make you aware of this communication we received from the Missouri Coalition for the Environment.
Any thoughts you might have would be appreciated.
Hope to see you soon.
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Subject: West Lake meeting for Elected Officials

Dear federally elected officials staff,

I am sending you this invitation on behalf of the folks who organize the monthly public meetings on the West Lake Landfill.

Internationally known Nuclear Waste expert Robert Alvarez will be in St. Louis to critique the Environmental Protection Agency Region 7's studies on the radioactive wastes at the West Lake Landfill. Robert Alvarez worked at the U.S. Dept. of Energy under President Bill Clinton and is currently a senior scholar at the Institute for Policy Studies. You can find Mr. Alvarez bio here...http://www.ips-dc.org/staff/bob

The West Lake Community Group formally invites you to attend an Elected Officials only pre-meeting at 3:00pm. No press or public will be involved, so elected officials can have a chance to engage Robert Alvarez, for questions and comments.

Please invite your colleagues because we do not have a complete list of emails for elected officials. We do not want to leave anyone out!

Thursday, November 21, 2013. You can RSVP for the 3pm meeting by replying to me.

3:00-5:00pm (Elected officials only)

International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 513

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Shortly following that session, the West Lake Landfill Community Group public meeting will begin at 6:30pm. The meeting will start with updates and recent events, followed by Mr. Alvarez scheduled to speak and present at 7:00pm, with Q&A at the end. We feel it is of great importance to the constituents, for all elected officials to be present for the public session of this meeting as well.

Dr. Bob Criss, professor in the Department of Earth and Planetary Sciences at Washington University in St. Louis, will also be available to discuss the radioactive wastes at the landfill. Dr. Criss authored a report in March challenging the Environmental Protection Agency Region 7's characterization of the radioactive wastes.

http://www.moenviron.org/images/West Lake Photos /West%20Lake%20Rept03142013.pdf

Thanking you advance for your attention and presence at both of the above meetings.

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